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SUBJECT: REPLY TO MESSAGE FROM PRIME MINISTER NOUIRA TO
PRESIDENT FORD ON ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRIME MINISTER
NOUIRA FROM PRESIDENT FORD. QUOTE: THANK YOU FOR YOUR
THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE ON THE RECENT INCIDENT IN SACRAMENTO.
YOUR KIND EXPRESSION OF CONCERN FOR MY WELFARE IS DEEPLY
APPRECIATED. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

2. FYI. FOLLOWING MESSAGE WAS RECEIVED FROM PRIME
MINISTER NOUIRA ON SEPT 6. QUOTE: I WAS VERY HAPPY TO
LEARN OF YOUR ESCAPE FROM THE DASTARDLY ATTEMPT MADE
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AGAINST YOUR LIFE. I HASTEN TO CONDEMN THAT IRRESPONSIBLE
AND CRIMINAL ACT AND I OFFER YOU MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS.
UNQUOTE.

3. DEPARTMENT HAS NO INTENTION TO RELEASE ABOVE EXCHANGE,
BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF GOT WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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